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1.	Course	MSci Bioveterinary Sciences, MSci Applied Bioveterinary Research				
•	Year	4 (following on from BSc Bioveterinary Sciences Year 1 – 3)				
	Applicable to	Academic Year 2015/16 – for students transferring from BSc Bioveterinary Sciences				

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7.3.	Requirements to be Awarded the MSci in Bioveterinary Sciences A candidate must have gained: An aggregated everall mark of at least 40% from all 4 years							
	An aggregated overall mark of at least 40% from all 4 years AND A pass (at 50%) in the Research Module							
	AND A weighted aggregated average of 50% from Masters level (level 7) modules amounting to 120 credits. PROVIDED THAT Masters (Level 7) Modules amounting to a total of no more than 15 credits, or one 15 credit module or one 30 credit module have a mark between 40 and 49%. All other individual Masters (Level 7) modules must have a mark of 50% or more.							
•	Consequences of Failure							
8.1.	A candidate who fails a Masters (Level 7) module at the first attempt shall have a right to resit. Any module taken for a second time will gain a mark no greater than 50%							
8.2.	When a module resit involves a piece of assessed work, the amount of time the resit student is given to do that work should be the same as on the first occasion.							
8.3.	A candidate who has met the requirements for a BSc or BSc (Hons), or an MSci degree may opt to receive the degree after the first sitting. A candidate who takes this option shall relinquish his/her right to re-sit for the MSci (Hons) degree.							
8.4.	A candidate who fails at the second attempt will be required to relinquish the course. S/he will have a right of appeal as described in College Regulations.							
8.5.	A candidate who has passed Year 3 shall remain eligible for the award of BSc or BSc (Hons).							
. 4-	Classification							
9.1.	The marks from Years 1, 2, 3 and 4 shall be weighted in the ratio 10:35:55:100 and aggregated and then scaled to a percentage.							
9.2.	If a candidate has been admitted with exemption into Year 2, the marks from Years 2, 3 and 4 shall be weighted in the ratio 35:55:100 and aggregated and then scaled to give a percentage.							
9.3.	If a candidate has been admitted with exemption directly to Year 3, the marks from Years 3 and 4 shall be weighted in the ratio 55:100 and aggregated and scaled to give a percentage. (This includes study for an intercalated degree).							
9.4.	For candidates who have passed the year overall as described in 7. above, the degree shall be classified as follows:							
	First Class First Class	70% or above 69% or above with at least 75% in the Year 4 Final Project Report						
	Upper Second Class Upper Second Class	60% to 69% 59% or above with at least 65% in the Year 4 Final Project Report						

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Annexe A Note